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SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT CARTER TO PRESIDENT YHOMBI-OPANGO RE NORMALIZATION OF US-CONGO RELATIONS

REF: A. STATE 121933; B. STATE 122027

1. INSTRUCTIONS SET FORTH IN PARA 3 OF REF A CARRIED OUT PM MAY 27. CONGO'S AMB MONDJO EXPRESSED MUCH PLEASURE OVER PRESIDENT CARTER'S LETTER REGARDING DISCUSSION OF NORMALIZATION OF RELATIONS. MONDJO HAD BEEN ON THE TELEPHONE WITH HIS FOREIGN MINISTER OBENGA (NOW IN PARIS) EARLIER IN DAY. MONDJO SAID OBENGA IS LOOKING FORWARD TO MEETING ASSISTANT SECRETARY SCHEUFELE IN BONN ON JUNE 6, OBENGA HAVING ALREADY HEARD OUR PROPOSAL IN THIS REGARD EVIDENTLY AS CONVEYED IN BRAZZAVILLE BY THE FRG (REF B).

2. WITH REGARD TO OUR PREPAREDNESS TO SEND A DELEGATION TO BONN TO MEET WITH CONGOLESE REPRESENTATIVES EARLY IN JUNE, LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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MONDJO SAID THAT THE LEVEL OF CONTACT FORESEEN IN THE SCHAUFELE-OBENGA MEETING WOULD SEEM MOST APPROPRIATE TO PROCEED WITH DISCUSSIONS TOWARD NORMALIZATION OF RELATIONS.

3. MONDJO SUGGESTED THAT ARRANGMENTS FOR THE BONN MEETING BE MADE THROUGH THE FRG FOREIGN MINISTRY.

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